

MEMORANDUM

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SUBJECT: Transmittal -- OMC83C Package for NCLB Consolidated State Performance Report (#1810-0614), 2005-2006

I am forwarding under OMB83C proposed modifications to the NCLB Consolidated State Performance Report CSPR (#1810-0614) for the 2005 - 2006 school year data collection. The modifications are technical modifications, or in some instances incorporate other approved collections, and are proposed for one or more of the following reasons:

- The modifications will facilitate the migration of CSPR to EDEN in 06-07.
- Technical changes to clarify instructions.
- Technical changes to items/tables to address questions/confusion that arose during the 04 - 05 collection.
- Technical changes to simplify tables and reduce burden.
- Eliminate items where data received from States in response to the item is not useable or no longer needed.

No new data elements are being requested.

ED estimates that the NCLB Consolidated State Performance Report (CSPR) for 2005-2006 with technical changes will reduce the burden hours on the respondents by an additional 1/3 over the 2004-2005 collection due to increased pre-population of data from the EDEN system. For CSPR 04-05 collection, ED estimated a 1/3 reduction in burden due to pre-population for a total of 40,332 burden hours. ED estimates that the total burden hours for the 2005-2006 CSPR will be 26,888 (40,322 hours minus 33%). As with the 2004-2005 CSPR, some States may realize more reduction in burden than others if they have submitted more 2004-2005 or 2005-2006 data to EDEN. All States will realize increased reduction in burden over 2004-2005.

ED expects to administer the CSPR online during November 2006. SEAs will be asked to submit their Part I of the CSPR to the Department on or before December 1, 2006. Part II will be due on or before February 1, 2007. States are collecting/or have already collected the data required by this Consolidated State Performance Report and the data are necessary to meet the Department's program management and reporting requirements.